

Benton Southard and Garrett Moore are here from Alabama visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Angel arrived before Christmas for a visit with Mrs. Angel's mother, Mrs. Zena Wyatt.

Clarence Hedgecoth and James Anderson left Sunday for Berea, Ky., to enter school.

S. J. Horn and family moved Christmas to the F. A. Loshbough farm, which he recently purchased for \$2,500. Mr. Horn is highly pleased with his new home and feels that he made a splendid trade.

Charles Comstock and daughters, Misses Gladys and Juanita, went to Chattanooga Christmas day for a visit with friends. Mr. Comstock returned Friday, but the young ladies remained until Sunday.

John A. Shellito arrived from New York Saturday before Christmas and passed a few days here with his mother and sister and left for New York Wednesday of last week. Just before coming here Mr. Shellito had been in Europe securing orders from the allies for war munitions.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beadle and little son, John Davis Allison, arrived from Crawford to pass Christmas with homefolks. Mr. Beadle returned Tuesday, but Mrs. Beadle remained for a longer visit.

R. B. Moore was here from Harriman last week visiting his daughter, Mrs. Baxter Southard. Mr. Moore has been engaged by the Frank B. Russell company for many years and is regarded as one of their most capable and valued men.

Mrs. Olive K. Barnes arrived Tuesday of last week, passed a few days here with friends and then went to Waldensia as the guest of the Melvines. From there she returned to her home in Knoxville for a brief stay previous to returning to her work as domestic science teacher in the Benton High school.

Miss Sallie Agee, who has been attending Benton High school, was home for the holiday period. She returned to her work Monday.

P. L. Stone was over from Pomona Saturday. He has recently purchased the Murray home at Pomona and is much pleased with the property and the location.

Part of last week M. F. Reed was confined to his residence with sciatic rheumatism. He was able to be at the store Saturday and is slowly improving so that he hopes to be fully recovered in a short time.

Miss Eula Bishop, who left November 1, for a visit of some weeks with schoolmate friends in Ohio and Canada, is expected home this week or next.

J. B. Angel was here from Ravenscroft Sunday and Monday.

Miss Estella M. Welty, who has been teaching at Carthage for the past three years, was here last week visiting with Dr. V. L. Lewis and family. She returned to Carthage Monday.

Mrs. Chester Wilson and little son spent the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. I. H. Watson. They returned home Monday.

Miss Dona B. Reynolds spent the holidays at her home in Bolivar, N. Y. She arrived here for her school duties Monday. She was accompanied by her father, J. R. Reynolds, who is a prominent oil man, having interests in Oklahoma and other states as well as in large oil refineries in different parts of the country.

Miss Frances Waters passed the holiday with homefolks at Greenwood. She arrived Monday to take up her duties in the High school.

Labon Wallace, of Chattanooga, brother of Mrs. V. L. Lewis, was here for the holidays. He returned home Monday.

Ernest Burnett left Monday for Greenfield, where he has been teaching. He was accompanied by his brother, Fred Burnett.

Rev. L. A. Hurst has packed his household goods preparatory to shipping same to whatever point he shall take up his labors as a minister of the Baptist church. He is not certain just where he will locate. Mrs. Hurst will visit a few weeks with homefolks at Niota. Charles Hurst will enter school at Knoxville January 15. J. L. Qualls has purchased the Hurst residence and will move in soon.

Miss Lola Bell Snodgrass left on the early train Monday for London to take up her duties as teacher.

Miss Nell Snodgrass left on the early train for Greenville, S. C., to take up her duties as teacher in Woman's College.

Misses Bessie Potter, Fannie DeGolia, Violet Haley and Mrs. Pearl Keyes, Messrs. Ernest Burnett, Litton Thurman and Alva Potter were guests at the Melvine home, Waldensia, last week.

Misses Bessie Potter, Violet Haley and Mrs. Pearl E. Keyes went to Harriman last Friday and were guests of Mrs. and Mrs. J. A. Monroe and family.

Miss Ada Tanner, of London, Ky., Miss Gertrude Sander and Edward Sander, of Harriman, were all guests at the Melvine home, at Waldensia, last week.

When Vance Hinch came to be tried on the charge of being drunk and disorderly, the drunk charge was not sustained. He was fine \$5.00 by Recorder O. B. Rector on the disorderly charge. Mr. Hinch appealed to the circuit court.

The Art Circle will meet in the Library room this week.

Litton Thurman spent part of the holiday week in Evansville.

After passing the holiday period with homefolks here, Javis D. Wheeler left Thursday for Chattanooga, where he will engage in his work as a painter, paper-hanger and decorator.

Gus Geer was here from Chattanooga visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Tollett, and returned home Thursday. Mr. Geer is working for the Southern Express Company as he has been for some three or four years. By his industry and close application to business he has been receiving an increase in salary each year for the last three.

Crane's stationery by the quire and envelopes by the bunch at the Chronicle office. Nothing made better than Crane's.

The following officers of Amanda Chapter, O. E. S., were inducted into office Wednesday night at Masonic Hall: Effie Garrison, W. M.; Mabel Reed, A. M.; Valera West, C.; Melissa Elmore, A. C.; Ida Wray Bell, Chap.; Gertie Beadle, Mar.; Antoinette Jackson, Org.; Dollie Comstock, Ada; Myrtle Potter, Ruth; Bessie Potter, Esther, Pearle Keyes, Martha; Sue Burnett, Electa; Belle Jackson, Warder; M. W. West, Sentinel. Eva Bishop, who was elected Secretary, and Annie McGuire, who was elected Treasurer, were unable to be present.

If you want score cards and pencils, paper napkins, nice writing paper cut to special size come to the Chronicle office for them.

As the Chronicle force took its Christmas during Christmas week and did not issue the Chronicle Dec. 27, as would otherwise have been done, numerous items that would have been timely had the Dec. 7 issue come out, are eliminated. However much of the news that was sent for the issue that did not come out is used this week for they tell of the movements of many persons. That is always news.

A recent letter from O. W. Monroe, who was assistant engineer in the building of the Memphis to Bristol highway, has been in California for two years. He states that at the last election the state of California voted fifteen millions of dollars for highway. Fifteen millions had been spent a short time before. Mr. Monroe had charge of a 12-mile section of concrete road that cost \$8,000 a mile to build. (The concrete bridge 24 feet long cost \$7,000 to build. Mr. Monroe is doing well and likes the Golden Gate state very much. He is located near Los Angeles. He also reports the health of himself and family excellent.

Misses Mildred and Daisy Burnett went to Harriman Thursday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Miss Dollie Dreutzer, of Chattanooga spent from Saturday until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dreutzer.

We received an order for some New Year cards just after Christmas accompanied by the injunction: "We want them to mail out not later than Saturday." The order was shipped the same day it arrived and when check was received a few days later it was accompanied by these words: "The job is fine, and a most commendable feature, on time—a little ahead of time—you are so fast that no agenda can be made after the order leaves." Not always is the Chronicle able to "deliver the goods" so promptly as this, but we make an effort, always, to keep the customer waiting as short time as possible. If you have tried us you know that you do not wait long. If you have not tried us do so once and let us "show you."

T. F. Hall, who is working for the Frank B. Russell company, was here for a few days last week and expected to have several days off from business, but conditions suddenly demanded his presence at his post of duty as manager of the Russell mills at Caledon, a Miss., and he left the middle of the week.

R. D. Godfrey was up from Erasmus Friday. Mr. Godfrey conducts a general store near Clifty and is doing a nice business.

Miss Elizabeth March, who is attending Wesleyan college, Oxford, Ohio, this year, was home for the holidays.

A Watch Night meeting was held at the M. E. Church, South, Sunday night. It was confined mainly to M. E. church people as the main object of the meeting was, while watching the old year out and the new year in, to hold a special prayer service favorable to the union of the two branches of the M. E. church. Such a movement is on foot with the heads of the two churches and the M. E. people here are heartily in sympathy with the movement and took this occasion to meet and hold services favorable to that end.

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The schools generally over the county closed Friday before Christmas.

Leave your suits with me to be cleaned and pressed at \$1.00 a suit. Mrs. Bertha Bandy. 12-20 tf.

Joint exercises were held by Fredonia and Tollett's Chapel schools Friday night before Christmas at Tollett's Chapel. The exercises were splendid and the efforts of the children showed that much care had been taken in their training.

Splendid new assortment of Place Cards and Tally Cards at the Chronicle office; also score pads for Five Hundred.

Miss Maud Glover and Frank Hassler, of Crab Orchard, were married at the home of the bride near Creston by Rev. Sam Tollett, Saturday before Christmas. The bride is the daughter of H. H. Glover, a farmer near Creston.

Indelible pencils at the Chronicle office.

One of the expert piano tuners of the Claud P. Street Piano Co., of Nashville, will visit this section shortly. Those desiring high class work of this sort done can arrange for same by notifying G. B. Johnson.

Wednesday night the Crossville Masonic Blue Lodge installed the following officers for the ensuing year: E. S. Burnett, W. M.; Sampson DeRossett, S. W.; W. A. Reed, J. W.; G. P. Burnett, Treasurer; S. C. Cline, Secretary; A. L. Garrison, S. D.; Andy Elmore, J. D.; Blaine Burnett and Percy Beadle, Stewards; M. W. West, Tyler.

Jules Ruff, who lives near Woody, attended the Hereford cattle sale in Nashville in November and bought a pure blood Hereford bull that will be two years old in May. The animal weighed 1175 pounds when it arrived in this county. Mr. Ruff is a strong believer in pure bred stock and intends to establish his live stock holdings along that line.

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W. L. Taylor, formerly of the Chronicle force, but for a dozen years a resident of California, is now conducting the Daily Star at Orange, Orange county, California. Mr. Taylor is a capable newspaper man and is deserving of the largest possible measure of success. He has many friends here who will be much pleased to know he is prospering so well. We have a copy of the Christmas edition of the Star before us. It consists of 20 pages and is generously supplied with advertising. The Chronicle will join with many others in this section in wishing Mr. Taylor a long, prosperous and happy career in his chosen field of labor.

Plenty of small single entry ledgers at the Chronicle office; 180 pages only 35 cents.

Attorney J. W. Cooper and family were here from Smithville for a brief visit with Mrs. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Keyes. Mr. Cooper is a practicing attorney at Smithville and is doing well. He will be a candidate for circuit judge of his district two years hence and prospects are very bright for him to win that choice plum.

Plenty of Time Books at the Chronicle office: two weeks' size and monthly, only 10c. Stenographers' note books also.

Miss Susie Dunbar spent from Monday to Thursday with her sister, Mrs. E. C. Hughes, in Harriman. She was accompanied on her return home by her niece, little Ernestine Hughes.

George Brookhart, of Peavine, who is taking a course in agriculture at the state Agricultural Station, Knoxville, was home for holidays and returned to his studies yesterday.

If you want pencils, fountain pens, pen points, ink wells, library paste, or paper fasteners come to the Chronicle office for them.

Thursday morning Alfred Hyder lost a cow by getting choked on blade fodder. He paid \$50 for her a short time ago.

Dr. A. B. Coon, who will be pleasantly remembered by many here, is now located in Little Rock, Arkansas.

Baxter Burnett, who was home for Christmas to visit his family, left on the early train Friday morning to return to his work as brakeman for the Southern railway out of Ravenna, Ky.

At the Chronicle office you can get pen tablets, examination tablets, fountain pen ink in five and ten cent bottles, pocket note books, stenographer's note books, Crane's fine stationery in two-quire boxes and other stationery such as you do not find elsewhere in this county.

Gasoline for sale at the Chronicle office.

Mrs. Dallas Southard arrived from Cold Springs, Bledsoe county, Saturday before Christmas. She had been visiting her parents there. Dr. Southard and wife will return to their home in Texas within the next week or ten days.

The Congregational and the M. E. church and M. E. Church, south, held their Christmas exercises Saturday

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In order to make room for a new stock of Groceries, Dry Goods, Shoes, etc., I will sell at auction, for cash, the following merchandise stock on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6:

500 pairs Shoes, Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Shirts, Underwear, Gloves, Leggings, Overshoes, Groceries, Tinware, Dishes, Plows, Plow Repairs, Spokes, Axe Handles, Leather Goods, Show Cases, etc.

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Goods will be sold regardless of price offered. Sale begins at nine a. m.

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night, the Christian church Sunday night and the Baptist church Monday night. The attendance was large at all and a bounteous number of gifts were distributed to old and young.

E. N. Dickerson was here from Spring City Saturday.

Dug Burnett was home from Catoosa with his family during the holiday period.

F. A. Loshbaugh has bought the Rio property, consisting of 15 acres of land

and a neat residence. He moved to the property Christmas week.

Thursday before Christmas Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Peek arrived from Monday, Texas, to visit their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Julian, and family. They will remain some days yet and are enjoying their stay very much.

J. W. Hayes was over from Daysville the first of the week on business.

T. Z. Beadle arrived from the west last week and will visit his mother here for a few weeks.